



## The "Wars" In The Orient

The very recent "open" appearance of Russia as a foe to Japan in the external war theatre on the borders of Manchukuo, Japanese puppet state, will set afire a great deal of speculation as to where the latest developments in the far east will eventually lead, and whether or not other Europeans powers will later become involved.

If so, it is quite conceivable that the time will come, sooner or later, when the United States will be drawn into the conflict between the major powers of the world. For it is reported the cards that Russia intention in the war between China and Japan constitutes but another step towards the malstrom of another world wide imbroglio.

It is true that the state of war has been declared to both Russia and Japan, and hostilities have been becoming more frequent and incidents more intense, and in fact, under the rules of modern warfare—or lack of them—it is quite possible for Russia and Japan to engage in a large scale conflict without any formal declaration of hostilities on either side.

### Russia's War

Russia, it might well be pointed out, has more than one reason for taking advantage of a weakened Japan if the Soviet, with one of the strongest armies in the world at her command, believes that her former opponent in 1905 is in a state of vulnerability. Russia's memory of her defeat at the hands of Japan in 1905 as an incentive, and as a further goal, the most recent announcement (1932) of the past between Germany, Italy and Japan, admittedly aimed against Communism and which Russia undoubtedly interpreted as a direct threat against herself.

No matter how strict may be the censorship of the war news from the sources of the Japanese government, and no matter how censoring may be the reports of the progress of the strife, based in both of the combatant armies, there can be little doubt that the Japs are now playing a losing game, and that the Chinese have everything in their favor in the type of warfare in which they are now indulging—a war of attrition.

In addition, Japan's military and naval communication techniques being adopted by the Chinese are likely to become more and more effective as time progresses.

The Chinese themselves are fully alive to this and that, coupled with their fatalistic outlook, has much improved their morale since the war started. The attack on their country and the ruthless manner in which it is being prosecuted has performed wonders in uniting diverse forces and, in fact, fortified by the proverbial patience of the Chinese, gives them an advantage which becomes more apparent as the conflict becomes more protracted.

### Japan's Economic Tension

Moreover, there are indications that the Japanese are approaching the day when their financial and credit sources will be stretched to the breaking point and the time appears to be not far distant when it will be impossible for them to continue a war of aggression in a foreign country because of the inability to pay for needed materials and the impossibility of maintaining armaments which are gradually stretching out further and further from supply bases.

Recent news items supply chapter and verse for the assumption that the financial straits of the Japanese are becoming very acute. A country that is not if nothing else, but in a state of financial collapse, its manufacturers to reduce the length of matches by 20% an inch to yield sufficient revenue to keep the army in the field for one hour and five minutes by the savings of a whole year, must be in desperate economic plight.

If to these impediments are to be added attacks by Russia on another front on more frequent and more intensive scale, it would appear that the ultimate outlook for Japanese arms on the Asiatic mainland is gloomy indeed.

### Morally An Hypothetical

Whether or not Italy would do it is a question of expedient or advantages, or both, to come to the aid of a distressed Japan in the event of Russian aggression becoming more pronounced, is a question difficult to answer, but it would not be difficult for either one of these dictatorships, or both of them, to find a pretext for doing so, basing their action on the Italo-German-Japanese agreement of 1936.

Numberless, at least, Russia's foes of the largest, if not the largest, armies in the world today and in some respects, one of the best equipped, possibly that coupled with a show of real strength on Russia's western borders, might be a deterrent for any ambitions which Hitler or Mussolini might have in that direction.

At the same time, Russia should become embroiled in the struggle in the far east it would not be long before hostilities would be transferred to European soil and in such an event it is highly problematical how long it would be before other European powers would be drawn into the vortex.

### A Superficial Subject

A school teacher who noted a girl to buy a grammar received the following note from the child's mother: "Do not desire that my Matty improve her English, but I pray you to let her to improve in more subjects so she can learn her to write and speak proper myself. I went through two grammars and can't say as they did me no good. I pray Matty to improve in geography and reading and good vocal music on the piano."

All the average man wants to-day is to find an easy job, a nice automobile, a home to live in, a family of credit, a bank to loan him money, and a few persons who will listen to reason.



### White Men Are Safe

Cannabis in Dutch New Guinea Prefer To Eat Their Relatives

A white man's life among Dutch New Guinea cannibals is quite monotonous because the cannibals prefer to eat their relatives, S. Drury Ripley, 32, of the Academy of Natural Sciences, said.

Ripley returned from a stay among the cannibals, said nothing rates higher gastronomically than a relative who oversteps the bounds of propriety.

"The system," he said, "results in a minimum of bones and love thievery in the tribe."

Ripley was in part from the Dutch government's attitude toward the consumption of white man and Chinese, he said.

"For instance," he continued, "lets suppose a tribesman steals from a fellow-tribesman his wife or some other personal possession. The victim lodges a complaint with the chief and the chief calls a council of the tribe to decide what should be done.

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# Sweeping Army Reforms In Great Britain Now Makes Possible Rapid Promotion

Mr. Secretary Hor-Belsha in the British House of Commons announced a series of sweeping army reforms.

They mean the introduction of a new device into the ranks of commissioned officers. A system of direct commissioning from the ranks is being introduced.

Qualified candidates will be able to buy commissions from the ranks at Sandhurst or Woolsack, and soldiers with no charge to fall on their parents for living expenses, scholars' material, uniforms or equipment. An airman's career thus will be made possible for an officer without private means.

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It is understood the opening of Woolwich and Sandhurst to any suitable candidate whatever means the present limitation on scholarships will be removed. Scholarships will be available to those who have served in ships, aircraft, full or part-time cost of education at these military colleges will be given without limitation wherever parents' means can for reasonable education.

Another feature of the proposals concerns the guaranteed continuation of service subject to efficiency. At present approximately 50 per cent. of officers serving in the regular army of major rank in the field or garrison arms will know that they may expect to reach the rank of major in the natural course of events. Officers may be promoted beyond that rank.

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## Gift From Goldsmiths

**Beautiful Casket Of Silver Made For Princess Elizabeth**

At the Exhibition of Modern Silverwork at the Goldsmiths' Hall which was recently opened by Lord Baldwin, Queen Mary was asked to accept a beautiful silver casket for Princess Elizabeth. It was a gift from the Goldsmiths' Company, who are the controllers of national defence, said Hon. Ian MacKenzie, defence minister.

"We know the problems presented by Anticosti island. We will now have a casket for the Queen Mother to use for her visits to the Royal Canadian Air Force." Naval facilities will also be surprised.

An expedition of Canadian naval service auxiliary schooners Other officers left Halifax by airplane, flying direct to the island port.

## Have Not Found Cure

**Scientists Know Nothing About Killing Germ That Causes Leprosy**

Perry Burgess, of New York, president of the Leonard Wood Memorial Foundation for research in leprosy, told the World Congress on leprosy, in Cairo, Egypt, last week at Cleveland, Ohio, that medical science had not progressed further toward a cure for leprosy than toward one for cancer.

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**Means The Same Thing**

**Pick-a-Back In England Appears To Be Piggy-back In United States**

British newspapermen called the plane Mercury as a "piggy-back" plane, from the fact it is carried on a craft launched from the back of a mother plane, seems to distract a number of people in this country.

One of them, however, has his favorite newspaper to say that in his youth the word was "piggy-back" and "piggy-back" it still should be.

The word is an old English colloquial meaning "on the shoulders like a pack."

Samuel Butler used "piggy-back" in his Hudibras, written between 1662 and 1681.

Other spellings are "pick-a-back" and "piggy-back" as a variation of "pick-a-back."

Apparently "piggy-back" is American rather than English—Detroit Free Press.

**Survey Anticosti Island**

**Part Of Project Planned By Department Of National Defence**

Survey of Anticosti, strategic St. Lawrence river island, is part of the normal programme, previously planned, by Canadian government national defence, said Hon. Ian MacKenzie, defence minister.

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## A Remarkable Tribute

**High Praise For Sovereign From Queen Mother**

The Queen of the World says one of the most remarkable tributes ever paid to a reigning sovereign by the ambassador of another country was contained in a speech Joseph Kennedy, U.S. Ambassador, when he unveiled the memorial window to George V. in Winchester Cathedral.

Mr. Kennedy spoke of his first-hand observation of the work done by Mr. King and himself during his months in this country.

"I am appalled at the amount of work that those two do for the people of England," he stated. "They bring out to the rest of the world who do not look forward to an old age of comfort and rest and doing as they like."

## Industry Has Expanded

Slaughtering and meat packing is now the largest industry in Manitoba with an annual output value of nearly \$22,000,000. Fleat and grain mill products are the second largest industry in the province, now taking fourth place with an output of \$7,400,000.

When motorizing, just remember that haste is temporary, but death is permanent.

## A Family Of Dentists

Miss Norah McGuire of Sylva, N.C., has just received her license to practice dentistry. Her father, Dr. Wayne McGuire, is a dentist. Her mother is a dentist. Dr. McGuire is studying dentistry in Atlanta, Ga. Her sister's husband is a dental student.

Sloths cannot support their own weight in an upright position. If placed on the ground, they can move along only by grasping at objects and pulling the prostrate bodies forward.

The greatest belt that man ever made believed to weigh 200 lbs in Moscow. It was found too heavy for a building to support.

## TRANS-ATLANTIC PLANE CAPTAINS



Arrival of the German trans-Atlantic plane Nordwind at Port Washington, L.I., after a flight from the Azores was an occasion for mutual congratulations between the commanders, Captain Hans von Engel (right) and Captain Joachim Blankenbush (left), who flew with Mrs. Nordwind's sister ship, the Nordster, over the same route a week before.

## Had Significant Meaning

**Seeing Dudley Oliver Was A Common Expression During War**

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## A Measly Lunch

**Movement In Japan For War Saving Thrift And Sacrifice**

A movement is under way in Japan to induce small employers to eat "Rising Sun" lunches as part of the general campaign for war saving and sacrifice.

This lunch consists of a bowl of rice, a piece of fish, a piece of meat, a mound of boiled plums at the center. It derives its name from the suggestion of the colors of the Japanese flag, red, white and blue.

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## Not Much To Ask

**That Dudley Oliver Was Light In Not Defense**

It is reported that tractors often on highway eight and 21 in Ontario report that of hundreds of automobile headlights tested on a recent Saturday night 90 per cent. were out of focus.

If that is true, it puts the travelling public in a very serious situation. Any one who does not have driving glasses should take note of the fact.

In fact it is not too much to say that a large proportion of the accidents which occur on our highways at night could be directly traced to defective car lights.

Traffic officers, in making this check up, are doing the right thing, and they can not be too thorough at the job.

## Right Seems Wrong

**Every Motorist In Vancouver Is liable to Arrest. A recent study of city by-laws showed one of the more evidence of the more powerful and threatening development of the implements of war is the British concern over the defence of Gibraltar;**

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## Eager to Go on Pillow or Picture



PATTERN 6167

Cute, isn't he? and as much fun to do as they are! The embroidery pattern is especially effective in silk. But use silk cotton or rayon, if you prefer—they'll look lovely, too. The dog looks so well in a picture frame, a dog 9½ inches, a color chart and key materials needed and instructions for stitching.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in coin (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDonald Ave., E. Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published.

# Science Promises A Happier And More Contented Era Than Ever Before In History

## Hyphenated Names

**Origins In Different Ways And Some Are Very Long**

The Diwan of Kochi's claim that he has the longest surname in the world—nineteen letters long—depends on the question whether hyphens are admitted or not; if they are, then his name compares in length with a number in our country, let alone Germany.

These hyphenated names, two ancient families may come together and it may be desired to keep the names of both in existence. Often it has happened that lands have been left in conditions that the legatees should add the name of the original owner to his own; to his own; some times they have been adopted by a cadet branch and have lapsed again for lack of male heirs.

In the records of the dukedom of Ormonde there is one cadet branch which had a name of 34 letters, and there was a Vernon, cadet, who had 27. But there are plenty of long ones, such as the 21-letter name which imports the burden of Miltmore-Swinton-Pilton-Roxton and another which is Oldmixon-Stem-Salmon.

The ancestor of our title, the Duke of Sutherland, was a duchess, which was once a dukedom, but has for surnames Heathcote—Drummond—Willoughby, we have an Admiral Plunkett-Erle-Dixit. The Earl of Bucking-ham, son of Hobart-Hampden-Mercer-Hender-son Hepburn-Stuart-Trefusis another generous name. There is Montgomery—Montgomery—Mordaunt—Red Book.

The Duke of Sutherland has Sutherland-Leveson-Gower for a surname, and Twis-tleton-Wykenham-Fiennes might reasonably be called a tongue-twister.—Manchester Guardian.

## The Giant's Steps

**Peculiar Formation Of Nature In Paradise Valley, B.C.**

The Giant's Steps, situated in the centre of Paradise Valley in Banff National Park, is a succession of large rectangular stone steps, perhaps in nature's suggestion for an immense staircase. Over these stones rubes the crystal clear water of Waatach brook, forming a waterfall cascade or series of waterfalls.

These steps formed, according to Indian legend, the ancient staircase of the Indian spirits of the upper air, the spirits of the lower regions. Imposed were the Indians with the beauty of the Indians with the beauty of the brook "Waatach," meaning beautiful.

The Giant's Steps are easily reached from Lake Louise, either by motor saddle-horse.

## Nothing Could Be Easier

**William Penn Had Simple remedy To Cure Drinking Habit**

William Penn was once advising a drunkard to give up his habit of drinking intoxicating liquor. "Tell me how to do it?" the man asked.

"Yes, friend," Penn replied, "just as easy as to open a door." The drunkard exclaimed, "And I will promise upon my honor to do as you tell me." "Well, my friend, when thou findest any vessel of drink, pour out all the liquid except a drop or two, then drink that, and it will not taste the drink again."

This plain advice so delighted the drunkard that he straightaway proceeded to follow it.

## Discover New Chemical

**French Scientists Find Strange Substance In Rhine River**

The noted scientist, Jean Perrin, informed the French Academy of Science his collaborators have discovered what is believed to be the first bird chlorine element—a substance heavier than uranium.

The scientist president of the academy, said the element had been found stable form in minerals containing uranium, notably pitchblende.

They range from hydrogen, the lightest to uranium, the heaviest. All except one have been isolated in pure form.

No other element than the 92 known on earth has been found in any of the stars.

White shark is the largest fish known to mankind.

In these days of national hysteria when war-scare follows war-scare, it is natural to turn to the leading men of science who the North American continent have to offer in the way of advice to a scare-ridden world.

These scientists, including many of the world's leading names in their profession, recently met at the congress of the Association for the Advancement of Science held at Ottawa, and many a diverse and varied opinions were offered at this distinguished gathering.

One of the most frequently reiterated statements, according to press reports, was that man is progressing through a transitional period and that the peoples of the world "should not lose faith in a greater and happier life which scientific development promises."

Courage and the speakers, one of the greatest essentials to-day, just as it was in the days of the pioneer settlers. If the nations of the world act wisely, they will live in abundance and happiness, with the greatest essentials to-day being health, adequate food and clothing, more comfortable houses, and increased leisure and opportunity for creative pursuits than ever before in history.

The danger, said the savants, is that mankind will turn to defeatism and despair, and to a somber solution for their temporary difficulties. They warn that "chemistry can and perhaps will destroy European civilization should another world war break out."

Dr. A. H. Compton of the University of Chicago declared that electrical power and machinery, developed through the physical research of the 19th century, is vital to the continued existence and to much more significant than the result of any past war.

Turning to the future, he said that the new era is of constantly growing value and in another few decades the development following on these rays will have a significant influence with electrical power.

The laws of motion and electricity have been the prelude to the mighty creation of man, which we now are living. Dr. Compton declared.

Dr. R. C. Wallace of Queen's University, Kingston, said young men and women of to-day must gain an appreciation of the scientific problems, to economic and political problems since they are indeed the ground for life without that background.

The only danger, declared these savants, was the advent of war. If man takes advantage of the opportunities ahead and avoids the threatening pitfall for road traffic conditions: Speed too fast for road traffic conditions; too much side of the road; not enough space for passing; not enough room for turning; not enough room for stopping; not enough room for getting off the road.

Good Advice Contained In Words By Early English Poets

Early in the 18th century, Edward Young, an English poet, wrote these lines: "He walks with speed; a foot at a foot's length." Young, the author of *Longinus*, was very much aware that many safety experts have been trying to put across all during the 20th century.

Here are the principal driving rules promulgated by motorists in 1937, which were the cause of 245 fatalities and 4,518 accidents: Speed too fast for road traffic conditions; too much side of the road; not enough room for passing; not enough room for turning; not enough room for getting off the road; driving too fast for road map as he gets back home.

Japan is raising up mulberry trees

which feed the silkworms and planting apple trees, in effort to establish fruit export trade.

## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Great Britain has been divided into 100 parts by the home office so that in event of hostilities any one of the 100 local districts may be warned of air raid.

Police at Orillia, Ont., established some kind of a record while solving a jewelry store robbery. The jeweler reported that 42 watches had been stolen, but the police recovered 43.

Dr. C. G. Ross, professor of Bible languages and literature at the University of Chicago, will become president of United Colleges, Winnipeg, Oct. 1.

A formal agreement concerning post-war reparations on Bulgaria's behalf was seen in diplomatic circles as an important step towards Bulgarian membership in the Balkan entente.

An official statement issued at Buckingham Palace said "no plans were made to be ready for a trip to Canada by the King." There have been reports such a journey was contemplated by His Majesty.

A convicted spy, Kurt Law, hanged himself in his cell at Maisonneuve Prison, rather than serve a 16-year prison term to which a war court had condemned him several hours earlier.

The International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, estimates the 1958 European wheat crop, excepting that of Soviet Russia, at 45,500,000 metric tons. This is equivalent to \$1,065,300,000 bushels.

Two new units were added to Pioner, the Soviet submarine which has the 2,000-ton destroyer *Azov* launched at Lepetosh and the 1,600-ton destroyer *Fudilnik* slid down the ways at Ancona.

### Profit On Illicit Drugs

Shown By Department Of National Revenue Official Records

Indication of the fortunes which have been made in the illicit drug traffic in Canada is given in official records of the department of national revenue on the importation of cocaine, morphine and crude opium.

Back in 1919, more than \$85,000 of these narcotics were brought into the country, and it is estimated to be for legal and medicinal purposes. The fact that easily \$800,000 worth found their way into the illicit trade is shown by customs figures which all that were required to allow entry in the last 12 months amounted to a total value of \$42210 and \$34,652 during the previous year.

Of these imports, 75 per cent. are adulterated as straight cocaine and 25 per cent. are used in narcotic preparations. No narcotics are permitted to be brought in for the manufacture of what are generally known as illegal medicines, according to officials of the department, branch of the department of pensions and national health which administers the law with the assistance of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the department of national revenue.

### New Engine Type

**Steel Replaces Aluminum To Increase Life Of Aeroplanes**

Discusses a new type of aircraft, in which steel replaced aluminum alloy in the crankcase to produce a marked increase in power, was used by Howard Hughes on his recent round-the-Astronautical Congress.

With one of the new motors which have been on the government "secret list," on each wing, Hughes was able to obtain a total of 2,200 horsepower for take-off with heavy loads. The same motor without the steel crankcase produced only 1,000 horsepower.

Though the engine weighs more, it weighs less per horsepower produced. The company claims the heavier motor provided higher super-charging—greater combustion pressures in the cylinders.

Four hundred engines have been ordered to power the high-speed bombers ordered from the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation of Burbank, Cal., by the British Air Ministry.

### Army War Measures

The earliest fortifications of Armageddon have been unearthed, and archaeologists reveal that the inhabitants of the ancient city decided about 3,000 B.C., that a wall 12 feet thick wasn't protection enough—and doubled it. War apparently is the oldest as well as the costliest of arts.

Three out of every five new automobiles purchased are bought on the installment plan according to statistics.

All dogs in Saragossa, Spain, must carry number plates according to a new law.

## Inherited Wanderlust

**Eighty-Year-Old Daughter Of David Livingstone Has No Home**

Mrs. Livingstone Wilson, 80-year-old daughter of David Livingstone, the missionary-explorer, and only living link with the famous Scotman, has come to the Canadian Empire Exhibition in Glasgow by the men who built the model of the Victoria Falls in the Exhibition.

When she saw the plastic statue of her father, who died above the Falls model, Mrs. Wilson, surprised and delighted, remarked on the fine likeness achieved.

Mrs. Wilson, youngest daughter of Livingstone, was born in 1878. Brought up in Scotland, she saw her father only once in her life—for three weeks. And she confesses to a childhood opinion that he was not quite nice in his habits.

Her father has bequeathed his wanderlust to Mrs. Wilson. At 80, she has no home and travels all the time. Part of her life is taken up visiting to mission societies, and to them she shows the precious relics of her father which she possesses.

Most interesting of his is his diary. Even when paper and ink gave out the diary continued. Livingstone cut off the black edges of newspapers and sewed them together. His ink he manufactured from a weed of which the juice was red.

### Humor In Court

**Magistrate In England Proved He Didn't Plagiarize It**

"My opinion is that you mustn't have a general knowledge of all classes of society and a sense of humor," said W. E. Hopkins, J.P., of Nottinghamshire.

In a story a told of two magistrates who were summoned for exceeding the speed limit in a built-up area. When they arrived at the court there were no other magistrates present, so they agreed to try each other. No. 1 won on the Bench, and No. 2 in the witness box. A question was asked, "Are you charged with exceeding the speed limit?" Both replied, "Yes, Sir." "Good, you're wrong," said No. 1. "You will be fined five shillings." Then they changed places, and No. 2 went on to the Bench. He said to No. 1: "You are charged with exceeding the speed limit. Do you accept the fine?" "Yes, Sir." "Good, you're wrong," said No. 2. "You will be fined five shillings." They then changed places, and No. 2 went on to the Bench. He said to No. 1: "You are charged with exceeding the speed limit. Do you accept the fine?" "Yes, Sir." "Good, you're wrong," said No. 1. "You will be fined thirty shillings." You will be fined thirty shillings." —G.B.C. Listener.

### Wood-Clad Lead Pencils

**Are Not Likely To Disappear For Some Considerable Time**

Trees are not much worried over the idea that wood-clad lead pencils may someday have to yield pride of place to the mechanical "propel" pencil. The wood is a combination of metal or celluloid, states J. C. E. in Marketing. In a single California national park are enough trees suitable for lead pencils, to produce 15,000,000 boxes of pencils a year, the result of their long lives. I can get wood-clad pencils. This type of pencil I prefer. Being partly Scotch, I can endure the loss of a 5-cent lead pencil with much more complacency than the case if I lost a fine propelling pencil—as I have several times.

### Deadly Germ

**Causes Many Deaths**

Discusses a type of pneumonia, in which steel replaced aluminum alloy in the crankcase to produce a marked increase in power, was used by Howard Hughes on his recent round-the-Astronautical Congress.

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### The Yellowstone Prospector

**Canada's Most Northern Newspaper Is Printed Twice A Week**

Canada's most northern newspaper, the "Yellowstone Prospector," is printed with a mimeograph machine, the paper being edited, made up, published and distributed by two young editors, Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander, a former Edmonton, newspaperman. Both are graduates of the University of Alberta. The publication's maiden edition was published Wednesday, July 15. Two editions a week are being published.

### Sandhill cranes are almost as tall as a man.

## IN THE SHADOW OF THE MIGHTY



Standing under the statue to the memory of Ned Hanlan, mighty Canadian whose victorious career has never been equalled, Bob Pearce (left), manager of the Canadian Empire Exhibition, and Paddon and Pearce (centre), Australia's leading scullers, something of Hanlan's prowess, while Elwood Hughes (left), general manager of the Canadian Exhibition, listens with keen interest. Paddon and Pearce will race in front of the Hanlan Memorial this Fall at the C.N.E. Regatta when several scullers with international reputations will attempt to wrest the world's championship from Pearce.

### The Destructive Insects

**Cause Many Diseases And Also Much Loss Of Food**

The casualties incurred by the attacks of insects are extensive and costly. In 1936 it arrived in the U.S. and caused a loss of \$1,000,000 in Canada, which is almost as much as the Dominion spent on the war and demobilization. In the United States the first loss is \$2,000,000. India incurred \$1,000,000 and, do damage amounting to \$75,000,000. Dr. A. S. Neve, of the Imperial Institute of Entomology, estimates that ten per cent. of all the food produced in the world is destroyed or lost through insects.

### PROTECTION OF TAILEDRED TREND

By Anne Adams



Does you think of First Lady Patrice doesn't it?—this young shirtwaister, by Anne Adams, that's a fashion treat! Pattern 4749 is cause for occasion, since it boasts the new "soft" tailoring. Just imagine it made up in soft wool, sheer cotton, country week-ends, and in a dark sheer fabric, too. The fabric is great material for the fabric and in gay the solo, too, that you'll have to buy. It's short and snug, short long and Neve, a sewing instruction, so you'll button it up tight, a figure skirt and button-down bodice, then a belt and a full, full bust.

Pattern 4749 is available in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 42. Size 16 is 22 3/4 yards, 29 inches (29c) in (can't stamp it accepted) for Anne Adams pattern. Write firmly Anne Adams, 1000 St. James Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. Send order and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Department, Publishing Division, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

AUGUST 14

### THE RELATION OF TEMPERANCE AND CHARACTER

Golden Text: "Wine is a mocker, strong drink a brawler; and whoso ereth himself over wine is not wise." Proverbs 20:1.

Lesson: Proverbs 4:10-23, L. Thesalonians 4:10-8.

Devotional reading: Psalm 1.

Explanations And Comments:

A paternal exhortation to walk in the way of righteousness. Proverbs 4:10-23, L. Thesalonians 4:10-8. Jesus speaking to his disciples, "Listen to my words," he says, "and long life shall be yours." The lesson is clear that a life of righteousness tends to prolong life, for wives will not care to be with a drunkard, taught them in the way of wisdom."

Urgent! The Wise Man exhorts his disciple to walk in the way of righteousness. Importance of keeping: "Keep her, for she is thy life." There is a reason why we should turn away from the path of evil, righteousness into paths of evil. Resist all temptation to evil, resist life.

"Walk not in the way of evildoing, avoid it, pass not by it; turn from it, and leave it far behind."

Next we have a picture of the criminally wicked. They only pleasure in the sins of others, making others as evil as themselves. "They eat the bread of wicked men, and drink the wine of unrighteousness, which make them to make by their deeds of wickedness and violence." Next we have a picture of the wicked there is next given a picture of the path of the righteous whose path is as the light of the sun, shineth more and more unto the perfect day.

"We have also a shadowy shade of fifty!" No; a thousand times no! We have a path more and more to the perfect. "He is going down this path very rapidly, but he is not yet in the path of sin, he is still in the path of the righteous whose path is as the light of the sun, shineth more and more to the perfect day."

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## MINIMUM PRICE FOR NEW WHEAT SET AT 80 CENTS

Ottawa. - Western farmers are asked to pay a price for 1938 wheat on the basis of 80 cents a bushel which will be No. 1 northern wheat, delivered at Fort William. That is the fixed minimum price the Canadian wheat board will pay for wheat which is derived from the crop year 1937.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced the price after a cabinet meeting, said it had been recommended by the wheat board and approved by the government.

At the same time he indicated there would be no change in the marketing policy pursued by the government and the wheat board. Canadian wheat will be offered for sale continuously and there will be no attempt to build or seek a monopoly.

He read a brief statement prepared by Trade Minister Ewart, chairman of the cabinet committee.

"The mining and grain trades of the world are advised that notwithstanding the internal initial price of 80 cents a bushel the Canadian wheat board will continue to seek at all times to offer Canadian wheat which will at all times be competitive on the world's markets."

The price fixed is lower than the 87½ cents which was paid during the year previous and the wheat board has been in existence.

It was higher than the prevailing price for the October future, which closed at 75 cents at the Winnipeg grain market Thursday, Aug. 4.

The October future price is the market's estimate of what wheat will bring when the new crop is harvested.

Cash wheat closed Thursday at 86½ cents. The new crop has not yet begun to come on the market, however, and the lower price for the October future indicates the reduction in price the speculators and dealers expect will come between now and October when the new crop, estimated as high as 300,000,000 bushels, begins moving into value.

Should the October future prove a reasonably correct estimate of the price which may be realized for the new crop the wheat board and eventually the government face a loss.

If the market price is not higher than the price the wheat board would likely take through the wheat board, as farmers would hardly accept a lower price from the private grain trade. Should the board suffer an average loss on the wheat it handles of 3½ cents a bushel, the market price of Canada's choice on the October future and the fixed price, and assuming the amount handled was 300,000,000 bushels, the aggregate loss would be \$57,500,000 plus handling expenses.

The government, however, on the board's advice, may be confident the price on the market will be higher than the October future price, particularly if the new crop is above the 80-cent level, in which case the board would make a profit which would be distributed among the farmers raising the board as a matter of priority.

Another result of the price going higher would be that the board would not handle the whole crop.

Farmers would then have the choice of accepting 80 cents from the board with the right to participate in the board's profits or a higher cash price from private grain companies.

Mr. King referred questions as to the government's policy for deciding 80 cents to the wheat board, which had recommended that figure.

"All circumstances were taken into account," he said, "the position of western Canada for the last two years, the world situation to-day, there was a careful weighing of the position of western Canada in relation to the east."

The price paid by the board for other grades of wheat will be fixed on the basis of 80 cents for the top grade, No. 1 northern at Fort William.

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## Secrets Act Charge

### Man Is Accused Of Securing Plans For A New Shell

London. - Robinson Walker, clothing merchant, was arraigned in police court on charges of violating the official secrets act. He is accused of attempting to get a new shell cap for a foreign power which, according to Crown Counsel Vincent Evans, he named as Soviet Russia.

After a brief hearing Walker was remanded to prison. His lawyer, a solicitor said plans for the shell cap were obtained from an official of Vickers-Armstrong Limited, after the latter had informed police and the public that Walker's proposition was abandoned.

According to Evans, Walker went to the Vickers-Armstrong official, informed him he had a small sum if he could help him to the plan and other data pertaining to the cap long enough to photograph it.

Walker pretended he would be glad to help, but when he did so, he promptly informed his superiors what had occurred and they relayed the information immediately to the authorities.

Authorities told the inspector to carry on the negotiations with Walker, the prosecutor continued. When the two men met again Walker, who previously had allegedly said he was prepared to work for a foreign country, assured the photographing plan would not be necessary.

Walker said he would merely delay the visit to the Vickers plant and then let the Soviet commercial delegation in London have a look at the material, the Crown counsel declared.

## U.S. Proposals Rejected

### Mexico Refuses To Arbitrate Exportation Measure

Mexico City. - Mexico rejected the United States' proposal of July 21 to arbitrate the dispute between Mexico and the United States citizens whose foreign lands have

been expropriated since Aug. 30, 1927.

Instead Mexico proposed two arbitration panels to decide the issue, assertive arbitration to be "unreasonable" and "unlawful."

A note handed by Cordell Hull, United States secretary of state, to Mexican ambassador to the United States, Francisco Calzada Najarro, July 21, admitted Mexico's right to expropriate, but insisted upon prompt payment. Hull declared international law provided for this.

## Terrorism In Palestine

### Official Tabulates Shows 210 Lives Lost During July

Jerusalem. - Terrorism in Palestine took 210 lives during July, an official tabulation showed. Of the dead, 148 were Arabs, 68 Jews and two were British soldiers.

One Arab soldier, wounded in the Nahariya raid, during an engagement with a band of marauders, died. The number of brigades slain in this skirmish was officially announced at 10.

A reliable racial informant said the prospective racial law probably would have these general objectives:

1. Elimination of Jews from the land.

2. Suppression of Jewish economic activities.

3. Supervision of Jewish economic activities to prevent large Jewish-controlled enterprises from financial interests.

Individual Jewish enterprise would be restricted.

A wave of kidnapping is sweeping the central portion of the country.

The kidnappers, who make it plain their failure to pay ransom will probably have fatal consequences, have collected some \$25,000 in the last few days.

## Supply May Exceed Demand

### Official Thinks Outlook Full For World Wheat Price

Calgary. - Prospects for a good world wheat price did not appear very bright at present, in the opinion of Leo Hutchinson, chairman of the Alberta wheat pool.

In an address to members of a Calgary service club Mr. Hutchinson said there were indications that

there appears every possibility of there being more wheat in the world than the world needs or at least is willing to buy at a reasonable price.

In fact, he said, "the figure for the world's production this year exceeds the bumper year of 1928 by at least 200,000,000 bushels."

*Air Raid Training*

London. - Air raiders in London's central telephone exchange are undergoing intensive training to work their switchboards during air raids and gas attacks, it was revealed. Two telephone company operators of the 1,000 in the Paragon building have learned to do their work with gas masks on.

*Runciman Urges Patience*

Victoria. - Viscount Runciman, Great Britain's unofficial adviser and mediator, counseled patience in attempts to reconcile differences between the Czechoslovak government and the nation's 3,500,000 Sudeten Germans.

## Franco On Defensive

### Government Gallops Are Reported In Catalonia

Hendaye, France. - Confronted by a new Spanish government offensive, this time against the insurgent headquarters for Teruel province, General Franco shifted air squadrons from the Ebro river front to defend Albarac in.

Several miles to the west of Albarac, Franco's men were hastily building fortifications and raising new barricades to meet a bombing thrust from central Spain. Insurgent planes were concentrated on air fields near Teruel.

The government's plan seemed to have been halted by repeated aerial attacks but the Barcelona forces maintained their footholds west of the Ebro.

## ANTI-JEWISH MEASURES TO BE TAKEN BY ITALY

Rome. - The Italian government announced the first of anti-Jewish measures foreseen by the new Fascist regime which holds that Italy's 47,000 Jews "do not belong to the Italian race."

The order barred foreign Jews from Italian schools—a measure of discrimination which did not affect Italian Jews and the number of foreign Jews normally attending Italian schools is not large.

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The Dinkha school at Passo di S. Giorgio, 30 miles west of Novara, was destroyed. Through an aid building which cost about \$3,000 to replace.

Although the church was in the centre of a group of Doukhobor houses, the school was reported to be intact.

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## CANCER COMMISSION



PRINCIPAL R. C. WALLACE

Queen's University head, it is reported, likely will serve on the Cancer Commission which the Ontario Government will set up to investigate the various formulae and cures in use in the province.

## Fire In Doukhobor Areas

Several buildings are burned in Nelson District

Nelson, B.C. - Five buildings in adjacent Doukhobor areas were burned within 24 hours of each other by fires believed by British Columbia provincial police to be of incendiary origin.

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Moscow. - Officials declared that the Soviet army's operations in Germany with its forces in the Manchurian border were purely defensive, but the public was being prepared for the possibility of an emergency.

There were indications that Russia wished to reach a peaceful settlement with Japan over the Manchurian border.

Soviet residents calmly went about their everyday tasks and the city showed no outward evidence of the crisis.

However, newspapers, which for several days had been reporting the fierce fighting in Japan and Korea, fighting near the junction of Korea, Siberia and Manchuria, were crowded with reports of patriotic and revolutionary meetings, research lectures to the editors from groups and individuals professing loyalty to the death of the Soviet fatherland.

For the first time newspapers began showing the location of the fighting.

Sailors of the Baltic fleet sent a message to Moscow that "the fleet is ready to sacrifice itself to the blood of our country" and demanded "immediate punishment of the aggressors."

Soldiers of the Moscow garrison at present more than 4,000 miles from the front in Manchuria, sent a similar resolution demanding: "Let the Japanese bandits know that if they attack us we will break their heads against granite walls of the Soviet父亲land."

The number of Jews this new dramatic effect is estimated at between 6,000 and 7,000.

## Accident To German

### British Seamen

London. - The German seamen serving on an experimental flight from the United States to the Azores, crashed into a yacht when landing here, but the crew escaped safely.

The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester at Birmingham



BIRMINGHAM. - The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester paid the city an official visit.

The Royal couple are shown as they drove from New Street Station.

The Duchess has been ordered by her doctors to take a long rest and the Duke and she are going on a cruise to Kenya shortly.

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## CROP SITUATION

### Potential Rust From Rust Has Been Lessened

Ottawa. - Grain crops in western Canada are maturing too rapidly for optimum filling," but the potential damage from rust has been lessened, says a telegraphic crop report issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics.

Death rates among yields of all crops will be light, the report said.

Harvesting is under way on the prairies and will be general in the next 10 days to two weeks.

Early rains received abundant rainfall in the past two weeks, and warm, dry weather had been experienced from the head of the lakes westward.

## PLANT LONG RELAY RUN

### Ten Boys Going From New York To San Francisco

Rochester, N.Y. - Ten Rochester boys who have been working their way across the continent to San Francisco.

The youths, high school students at age 16, started their relay run in New York city to San Francisco.

The youths will be accompanied by their teacher, a coach, and a bus.

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## NAZI SUDETEN POLICY IS STATED IN CLEAR TERMS

Berlin. - The Sudeten question involving Czechoslovakia's 3,500,000 German inhabitants is Nazi Germany's touchstone of future foreign policy.

If the Czechoslovak government satisfies German demands for self-government of the Sudeten minority, Nazi Germany will content itself with the Sudeten as its frontier.

A man high in Nazi party councils made these predictions.

"Supposing the Sudeten problem is not settled to Hitler's satisfaction," he said, "Germany ready even to go to war to gain his ends?"

"Absolutely," was the firm reply.

"Even this extreme possibility has not been ruled out. We hope and trust such a contingency will never arise. We count on the realistic sense of Great Britain and France."

"Should we ever start a war on behalf of the Sudeten. But if there should be a spontaneous uprising in that region [the part of Czechoslovakia facing Germany's Sudeten frontier] and it appears for any reason to us, we could not turn to the support of our 3,500,000 brethren."

"Our original idea was that it would be matter under whose sovereignty, now in the states bordering on the Czechoslovakian border, in due time be re-united with the German empire."

"Konrad Henlein's program points a way to achieve this end, mainly through Hitler's protection without physical union of German districts outside Germany with the rest of the empire. His program for the Sudeten could remain in Czechoslovakia whatever they could do were they a part of Germany. They could be National Socialists just as we are."

"Even so, we also demand that Czechoslovak follow no foreign policy that is inimical to us or to which we do not agree."

"Even Britain and France simply must remain once and for all that Germany must remain a dominant force in Central and southeastern Europe as her sphere of influence."

"We are willing to disintegrate ourselves in order to keep the Czechoslovakian border to us, to defend it and to maintain our independence and our political, cultural and spiritual life."

"If this plan is successful, Adolf Hitler can announce to the world that his program of uniting German districts outside Germany with the rest of the empire has been realized by the absorption of Austria and by assurances of border states that German minorities will be autonomous in their various districts across the German frontier."

In another conciliatory mood he said: "Don't fear Germany will grow too strong. As regards colonies, all we ask is that we be allowed to have them."

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## FIRST WHEAT DELIVERY

The first delivery of wheat in Alberta this year reached the Alberta Pool Elevator at Purple Springs on Monday, July 24. The elevator, under the direction of that district, delivered two loads of winter wheat, R.H. Evans, the Pool agent, reports the wheat was a good sample and graded One Alberta Red Winter.

On Tuesday, the 26th of July, the Alberta Pool Elevator at Grassy Lake received delivery of a load of spring wheat.

## Golf Week in The Canadian Rockies



The Banff Springs Hotel's annual golf week is set for August 25-31, and the contest for the long and rugged course that will be waged in a mountain setting so beautiful as to make the golfers feel they are on top of the world, doubly difficult of attainment.

This week at the Banff springs course will see many notable U.S. and Canadian amateurs with a sprinkling of British and European entrants, golfing it out for the Edward Prince of Wales trophy.

Snicklefritz----



"Pardon me, may I cut in?"  
Asked the young surgeon.  
As the operation began.

Merchant: "I will give you a position as clerk to start with, and pay you what you are worth, is that satisfactory?"

Applicant: "Oh, perfectly; but do you think the firm can afford it?"

Notice outside church: "If you knock too hard, I'll send them on."

Old Mother Hubbard  
Went to the cupboard  
To get the bread to make a dress.  
When she got there  
The cupboard was bare—  
And so was the daughter, I guess.

"Yes, I had a beard like yours once, and when I realized how it made me look I cut it off."

"Well, I had a face like yours once, and when I realized that I couldn't cut it off, I grew a beard."

We like this home-sounding trade joke which comes from the London "Tattler".

A man was seeking advertisement for a local paper, called at the Village-grocer's. Upon presenting his card, he was surprised when the grey-haired proprietor replied,

"No, sir, we're not been established eighty years, and never advertised."

"Excuse me, sir, but what is that building on the hill?" asked the trader.

"The village church," said the grocer.

"How long?" asked the other.

"About three hundred years."

"Well," was the reply, "They still ring the bell."

SEPARATE PRECIPITATION REPORT

The rainfall situation in Western Canada shows very little change from last week.

Taking into account the precipitation which has occurred in autumn during the months of August, September and October, and the rains which have fallen this year from April to July 31, and comparing the rainfall on July 31st with the monthly condition on July 31st, it shows the monthly condition on July 31st to be 87 per cent of normal, which is unchanged from 88 per cent last week.

The moisture condition for Alberta on July 31st was 90 per cent of normal, which is unchanged from a week ago.

The moisture condition for Saskatchewan on July 31st was 86 per cent of normal, which compares with 87 per cent last week.

## The Fight Goes On

Western farmers must persist in their fight for a greater degree of price security in the marketing of their main product—wheat.

To continue the fight for just and equitable treatment a strong concentration of effort is required.

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## ALBERTA CROP CONDITIONS

Crop prospects in Alberta have dimmed considerably over the past two weeks but a fair crop seems to be assured with much improvement over last year. Extreme heat and lack of adequate precipitation in most districts has an adverse effect on all grains particularly late sown wheat and coarse grains. Early sown wheat is in fair condition in areas adjacent to the Saskatchewan border, in the central part of the province, and in the Peace River area. Few points in the latter district have fair crops in prospect, but over the greater part of the district further deterioration has occurred in some areas. In most districts will not exceed 5 bushels per acre, and in some cases grain is now being cut for feed.

Crops have started at some widely scattered points in the south and east but wheat cutting is not expected to be in progress generally for about ten days.



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